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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Monday, 8 June 1998

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Twentieth special session

10 a.m. 1st PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Opening of the session by the Chairman of the delegation of Ukraine.

2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation.

3. Credentials of representatives to the twentieth special session of the General Assembly: appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee.

4. Election of the President.

5. Report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs acting as the preparatory body for the twentieth special session of the General Assembly.

6. Organization of the session.

7. Adoption of the agenda (A/S-20/1).

(continued overleaf)

Note: The PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA and the SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS of bodies other than those of the General Assembly at its fifty-second session appear in PART II (English/French) of the present issue of the Journal (No. 1998/106 (PART II)).

8. General debate:

His Excellency Mr. William J. Clinton, President of the United States of America.

His Excellency Mr. Ernesto Zedillo, President of the United Mexican States.

His Excellency Mr. Jorge Fernando Branco de Sampaio, President of the Portuguese Republic.

His Excellency The Honourable Romano Prodi, Prime Minister of the Italian Republic.

His Excellency Mr. Hugo Banzer Suárez, Constitutional President of the Republic of Bolivia.

His Excellency Mr. Jacques Chirac, President of the French Republic.

His Excellency Mr. Miguel Ángel Rodríguez, Constitutional President of the Republic of Costa Rica.

His Excellency Mr. Carlos Saúl Menem, President of the Argentine Republic.

His Excellency Mr. Leonel Fernández Reyna, President of the Dominican Republic.

His Excellency Mr. Jules Albert Wijdenbosch, President of the Republic of Suriname.

His Excellency Mr. Fernando Henrique Cardoso, President of the Federative Republic of Brazil.

His Excellency The Honourable Dr. Denzil Douglas, Prime Minister and Minister for National Security, Foreign Affairs, Finance, Planning and Information of Saint Kitts and Nevis.

His Excellency Mr. José María Aznar, President of the Government of the Kingdom of Spain.

His Excellency Mr. Luo Gan, State Counsellor of China.

His Excellency Mr. John Prescott, Deputy Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

3 p.m. 2nd PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

General debate:

His Excellency Mr. Ernesto Pérez Balladares, Constitutional President of the Republic of Panama.

His Excellency Mr. Alberto Fujimori, President of the Republic of Peru.

His Excellency Mr. Guntars Krasts, Prime Minister of the Republic of Latvia.

His Excellency Mr. Arnoldo Alemán Lacayo, President of the Republic of Nicaragua.

His Excellency Mr. Eduardo Frei Ruiz-Tagle, President of the Republic of Chile.

His Excellency Mr. Ernesto Samper Pizano, President of the Republic of Colombia.

His Excellency Mr. Emomali Rakhmonov, President of the Republic of Tajikistan.

His Excellency Mr. Emil Constantinescu, President of Romania.

His Excellency Mr. Juan Carlos Wasmosy, President of the Republic of Paraguay.

His Excellency The Honourable Hubert A. Ingraham, MP, Prime Minister of the Commonwealth of the Bahamas.

His Excellency Mr. Armando Calderón Sol, President of the Republic of El Salvador.

His Excellency Mr. Teodoro Obiang Nguema Mbasogo, President of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea.

His Excellency Mr. Burhanuddin Rabbani, President of the Islamic State of Afghanistan.

His Excellency Mr. Izzet Rustamov, Deputy Prime Minister of Azerbaijan.

His Excellency Mr. Jan-Erik Enestam, Minister of Interior of Finland.

His Excellency The Honourable Bakari Mwapachu, Minister of Justice of the United Republic of Tanzania.

His Excellency Mr. Murat Baseskioglu, Minister of Interior of Turkey.

His Excellency Mr. Karl Schlögl, Federal Minister of the Interior of Austria.

His Excellency The Honourable Dumiso Dabengwa, Minister of Home Affairs of Zimbabwe.

His Excellency The Honourable K. D. Knight, Minister of National Security and Justice of Jamaica.

His Excellency Mr. Patrick Albert Lewis, Chairman of the Delegation of Antigua and Barbuda.

7 p.m. 3rd PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

General debate:

Her Excellency Mrs. Tiiu Aro, Minister of Social Affairs of Estonia.

His Excellency Mr. Jaswant Singh, Deputy Chairman of the Planning Commission of India.

His Excellency Mr. Alberto Scavarelli, Secretary of State of Uruguay.

His Excellency Mr. Thorsteinn Pálsson, Minister of Justice and Ecclesiastical Affairs of Iceland.

Her Excellency Ms. Carme Sala Sansa, Minister of Education, Youth and Sports of Andorra.

His Excellency Dr. Shawki Marcus, Senior Under-Secretary, Minister of Health of Iraq.

His Excellency Mr. Samuel R. Insanally, Chairman of the Delegation of Guyana.

His Excellency Mr. Hersey Kyota, Chairman of the Delegation of Palau.

His Excellency Mr. Masao Nakayama, Chairman of the Delegation of the Federated States of Micronesia.

His Excellency Mr. Lee See-young, Chairman of the Delegation of the Republic of Korea.

His Excellency Mr. Fassassi Adam Yacoubou, Chairman of the Delegation of Benin.

Committees

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

3 p.m. 1st meeting (closed) Conference Room 7

TWENTIETH SPECIAL SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Credentials

Delegations are reminded that credentials should be issued for all representatives to the twentieth special session of the General Assembly, in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

List of speakers for the general debate

The provisional list of speakers (No.5) for the general debate of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly on the world drug problem (8-10 June 1998) is now available at the General Assembly Servicing Branch (room S-3670J). The provisional list of speakers (No. 5) has also been sent by facsimile directly to Permanent Representatives to the United Nations.

FIFTY-THIRD SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

General debate
(21 September- 2 October 1998)

The first provisional list of speakers for the general debate of the fifty-third session of the General Assembly will be announced on Monday, 15 June 1998.

Those Missions which have not yet replied to the note verbale of 24 March 1998 requesting inscription on the list of speakers are invited to send their requests immediately to the Secretariat if they wish to be included in the first provisional list. Missions whose requests have yet to be received by the Secretariat will be accommodated to the extent possible, bearing in mind that their request will have been received after the deadline of 24 April 1998 announced in the note verbale. Requests should be communicated, in writing, and addressed to the Director, General Assembly and ECOSOC Affairs Division, DGAACS (room S-2977A, fax: (212) 963-3783).

SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

Thursday, 4 June 1998

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-second session

87th plenary meeting

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/52/785/Add.7) [120]

The General Assembly took note that Ecuador and Yemen had made the necessary payments to reduce their arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

Implementation of the outcome of the Fourth World Conference on Woman: draft resolution (A/52/L.74) [106]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/52/L.74 (resolution 52/231)

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 106.

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [21]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/52/856);

(b) Draft decision (A/52/L.76)

Strengthening of the United Nations system [60]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/52/855);

(b) Draft resolution (A/52/L.77)

The President made a statement in the course of which he orally corrected the English version of draft resolution A/52/L.77.

The General Assembly decided to waive the relevant provision of rule 78 of the rules of procedure.

The representative of Costa Rica made a statement in explanation of vote.

The General Assembly adopted draft decision A/52/L.76.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/52/L.77 (resolution 52/232).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda items 21 and 60.

Sustainable development and international economic cooperation: renewal of the dialogue on strengthening international economic cooperation for development through partnership: letters from the Chairman of the Second Committee (A/52/832, A/52/919) [97 (a)]

The General Assembly decided to take note of documents A/52/832 and A/52/919.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 97.

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Corrigendum to the summary of the 86th plenary meeting of the General Assembly (see *Journal* No. 1998/104 (Part I)): the paragraph under agenda item 17 (b) should read as follows:

(b) Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions: report of the Fifth Committee (Part II) (A/52/671/Add.1)

The General Assembly appointed Mr. Sergei I. Mareyev as member of the Committee on Contributions for a term of office beginning on 2 June 1998 and ending on 31 December 1999.

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